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H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch.

Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1128

NOTICE.

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For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885. 754

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 5, 1885. 2120

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Bids on First Class Godowns at 10 per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 938

Intimations.



GOVERNMENT SHELTER.

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Charitable persons are earnestly requested to refrain from giving Money to Destitutes, and to avail themselves of the above or some other organized method of relief.

Hongkong, June 13, 1885. 978

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN Accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undersigned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, on FRIDAY, the 26th (CHRISTMAS DAY), and on SATURDAY, the 27th INSTANT (BOXING DAY).

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,' JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,' T. H. WHITEHEAD, Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,' T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

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For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited,' H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2231

DENTAL NOTICE.

D. R. POATE will be ABSENT from the COLONY for about a week, from WEDNESDAY, the 30th December.

Hongkong, December 24, 1885. 2245

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd INSTANT until the 8th Proximo, both days inclusive.

HENRY R. H. MARTIN, Manager.

Hongkong, December 18, 1885. 2202

NOTICE.

THE PRYER RIVER DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

APPLICATIONS for the APPOINTMENT of MANAGER of the above Company will be received by the Undersigned up till 31st Instant.

H. L. SMITH, Secretary.

Penang, 10th December, 1885. 2228

JAPAN.

JAPAN!!!

NOTICE.

KUHN & Co.

BEG Respectfully to announce that both their STORES, situated at the HONGKONG HOTEL, are now Open, and Thousands of ancient and much Useful and Ornamental JAPANESE ARTICLES are offered FOR SALE, at most reasonable wholesale prices.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2229

HONGKONG RACES, 1886.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY.

24th, 25th, and 26th February, 1886.

THE HONGKONG DERBY.

STAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before the date of Closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony and \$50 for 2nd. For all China Ponies, born before 1st January, 1885. First Pony, 70 per cent. Second Pony, 20 per cent. Third Pony, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10lbs. One-mile-and-a-half. NOMINATIONS close on SATURDAY, 19th December, 1885, addressed to the CLERK of the COURSE, at the Hongkong Club.

By Order, H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, November 13, 1885. 1376

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN Accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 1st JANUARY, 1886, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share. Payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the same being at the Rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1885, and Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 15th to 31st INSTANT, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, December 15, 1885. 2183

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE next ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held during this week proceeding the Races, in February next.

All Exhibits of Plants, etc., must be in pots, not exceeding 14 inches inner diameter.

W. M. D. ARTHUR, Hon. Sec.

Hongkong, December 18, 1885. 2203

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Christmas Delicacies.

SOUPS.—Mulligatawny, Oat-tail, Giblet, Clam Chowder, Soup and Bouilli, Hotch Potch, &c., &c., &c.

FISH.—Sardines in Oil, Citron, Tomatoes, Tunny Fish, Oysters, Tamarind, Whitebait, Trout, Anchovies, Tunny Fish, Oysters, Tamarind, Macassar Rod Fish, Herring and Maquereaux au Vin Blanc, Pilchards, Salmon Oulet, Salmon Kippers, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, December 11, 1885. 2154

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Hongkong, December 5, 1885. 2123

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Hongkong, December 8, 1885. 2134

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Victoria Exchange, December 19, 1885. 2155

Business Notices.

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THE WHITE HOUSE, Hongkong, December 4, 1885. 2109

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Hongkong, October 1, 1885. 1771

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Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

Auctions.

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J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 23, 1885. 2234

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Hongkong, December 26, 1885. 2240

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship 'Fookang,' will be despatched for the above PORT TO-DAY, the 26th INSTANT, at 4 p.m.

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Hongkong, December 26, 1885. 2241

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Hongkong, December 26, 1885. 2242

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O. BAHRACH, Agent.

Hongkong, December 16, 1885. 2187

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Hongkong, December 16, 1885. 2186

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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

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elsewhere from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, December 1, 1885. 2039

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN McALLUM is authorized
to Sign our Firm per Procuration
from this date.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, December 19, 1884. 2218

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF BROWN, JONES

& Co. (Undertakers, 6 Queen's Road
East), hitherto carried on by E. L. STAIN-
FIELD, was taken over by me on the 1st
November, and will continue to be con-
ducted by me, under the same Firm name.

A PROPERTY AND COMMISSION AGENCY
has also opened, to be conducted under
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H. L. STRINGER.
Hongkong, November 6, 1885. 1937

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS known as 'THE MEDICAL

HALL' has This Day been Re-opened
under the CHARGE of MR. ADOLPH
SCHROEDER.

EMIL NIEDHARDT,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, December 14, 1885. 2181

Mr. Andrew Wind,

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Hongkong, December 21, 1885. 2215

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Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 597

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Hongkong, November 12, 1885. 1971

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Hongkong, December 22, 1885. 2226

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of Cargo by her are hereby informed that
their Goods will be conveyed to the
Godowns, with the exception of Opium,
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Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the
28th Instant will be subject to rent.
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Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed
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Undersigned, whence and/or from the
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less notice to the contrary be given before
To-morrow, the 22nd Instant, at 10 a.m.
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Goods have left our Godowns.
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SIEMSEN & Co.,
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

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Claims must be sent in to the Offices of
the Undersigned, before Noon on the 26th
Instant, or they will not be recognized.
No Fire Insurance has been effected, and
any Goods remaining in the Godowns after
the 26th Instant will be subject to rent.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before
10 a.m. To-day, the 21st Instant.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
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Hongkong, December 21, 1885. 2214

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co. S. S. Steamship
Captain BATT, will be
despatched on above on
WEDNESDAY, the 30th instant.
For Freight, Passage, apply to
HUTCHINGS & SQUIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 26, 1885. 2240

A NEW JOURNAL.
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Agents in Hongkong:
Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd.
Tokyo, 15th December, 1885. 2248

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
December 25, 1885.
Belgio, British steamer, 4,212, Walker,
San Francisco November 28, and Yokohama
December 10, Mails and General—
O. & S. S. Co.
Fookang, British steamer, from Whampoa.
Fushan, Chinese steamer, from Whampoa.
Quarta, German steamer, 773, T. T. Kook,
Saigon December 10, General—
S. S. Co.
Narakan, British steamer, 803, J. Black,
Singapore December 14, General.
Hoy Hing Hong.
Pecolia, German steamer, 874, Th. Nissen,
Saigon December 10, Rice—Wienzen & Co.
Actie, Danish steamer, 260, Ch. Rorsbeck,
Helsing December 22, General—
Arnold, Karsberg & Co.

DEPARTURES.
December 26.
Thibel, for Yokohama.
Viceroy, for Saigon.
Lucia, for Hongkong.
Villa de Rosalia, for Manila.
Don Juan, for Amoy and Manila.
Loria, for Saigon.
Nan-wei, for Haiphong.
Hwai, for Fookow.
December 26.
Wallace, for Calcutta.

OLIMAR.
Diamang, for Amoy and Manila.
Fookang, for Shanghai.
Fushan, for Shanghai.
Nalia, for Haiphong.
Thales, for Swatow, Amoy and Taiwan.

ARRIVALS.
Per Belgio, from San Francisco, etc., Mrs.
L. G. Ross, Messrs Boyd Brecken and R.
H. Wilson, Mr and Mrs Sharpe, and Mr.
Z. Sharpe.
Per Amoy, from Saigon, Mr A. Radow,
Eugene, and 1 Chinese.
Per Nanshan, from Saigon, 122 Chinese.
Per Pecolia, from Saigon, 52 Chinese.
Per Actie, from Haiphong, Mr Jack, and
10 Chinese.
Per Amoy, from Nagasaki, Messrs Kun-
ningham and J. Konopke.
Per Tanaka, from Yokohama, for Hong-
kong, Messrs Robert Egan, E. A. Day, A.
T. Hunt, H. Yandell, A. Lynnes, S. Day,
W. T. Garford, G. Threder, and Edward's
servant; for Saigon, Rev. Bouyongrat,
H. Mykels, S. Aldred, G. Nishi, G. Goh,
H. Nagai, H. Tieda, G. Kawamoto, S. My-
shita, K. Mame, T. Matsumura, K. Onishi,
and G. Senbon. From Kobe, for Hong-
kong, Mr J. McDonald; for Amoy, Mr Y.
Shidegawa.

DEPARTURES.
Per Fookang, for Saigon, 20 Chinese.
Per Tachien, for Hoihow, etc., 20 Chi-
nese.
Per Don Juan, for Amoy, etc., 90 Chi-
nese.
Per Doris, for Saigon, 50 Chinese.
Per Doris, for Kobe, 1 European.

SHIPPING REPORTS.
The German steamer Pecolia reports;
Had N.E. winds till two days, when
experienced calm and fine weather.
The British steamer Nanshan reports;
Left Singapore on the 14th December,
experienced strong N.E. winds with heavy
head sea to Cape Varel; thence to Hoihow
moderate S.E. winds and fine weather.
Arrived at Hoihow on 23rd, and left on
24th; with light S.E. winds and fine weather.
Left Hoihow on 25th, thence to Saigon, S.E.
winds and hazy weather.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:
For HAIKONG—
Per Salice, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the
27th inst.
For SWATOW—
Per Nanshan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the
27th inst.
Per Hoihow, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday,
the 28th inst.
For SAIGON—
Per Jaganca, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,
the 28th inst.
For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS—
Per Lorie, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the
28th inst.
For HAIKONG—
Per Actie, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the
28th inst.
For AMOY & TAMSUI—
Per Atlanta, at 10.30 a.m., on Tuesday,
the 29th inst.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW—
Per Hoihow, at 8 p.m., on Tuesday,
the 29th inst.
For STRAITS, COLOMBO, and BOM-
BAY—
Per Hoihow, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday,
the 30th inst.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW—
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Anadyr, Glaucon, Pandora, Spain,
Dec. 10; Glenfidda, Opatok, Morhane,
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HOMeward BOUND—Lorient, Dec. 8; Glen-
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Shipping.
Daylight—Thales leaves for Swatow, etc.,
4 p.m.—Titan leaves for London.
RELIGIOUS SERVICES.
Union—Organ—Divine—Worship, 11
a.m.—Rev. E. J. Briel. Service in Chinese,
2 p.m.—Rev. J. Chalmers, M.A., L.L.D.
SEAMEN'S SERVICES.—The Services for
Seamen which have been hitherto held in
the Mission Church, Queen's Road, will be
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Seamen are invited to attend.
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the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann,
every Sunday, at half-past ten a.m. in the
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West Point.
St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.—
9 a.m. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 p.m. Even-
ing Service, Benediction.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping.
Noon—Hullong leaves for Swatow.
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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.
To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at
Green Island, and extending to the Hongkong shore are marked A, and those in the body of the
Shipping or midway between each shore are marked B, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.
Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag.	Tons.	Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.	
Steamers								
Acta	2	11	245	Dec. 25	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong		
Africa	2	11	1600	Dec. 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Haiphong		
Albany	2	11	1484	Dec. 21	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Haiphong		
Angara	2	11	2077	Nov. 12	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Haiphong		
August	2	11	1028	Dec. 26	Captain	San Francisco		
Belgo	2	11	4212	Dec. 26	O. & S. S. Co.	San Francisco	K'loon Dock	
Comorin	2	11	1483	Oct. 15	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Y'haan & San Francisco	26th inst.	
City of New York	2	11	1030	Dec. 19	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong		
Chieftain	2	11	3129	Dec. 19	M. S. S. Co.	Haiphong		
Chieftain	2	11	1116	Dec. 17	Siemens & Co.	Haiphong		
Decima	2	11	969	Dec. 20	Butterfield & Swire	Haiphong		
Deutsche	2	11	1197	Dec. 18	Edward Schellhas	Haiphong		
Diamond	2	11	514	Dec. 21	Russell & Co.	Haiphong	To-day	
Dicky	2	11	168	Oct. 13	Wideler & Co.	Haiphong		
Eisa	2	11	562	Dec. 18	Wideler & Co.	Haiphong		
Fame	2	11	117	Dec. 17	H. K. & W. Poon Dock Co.	Haiphong	Laid up	
Fei-lung	2	11	765	Dec. 22	Butterfield & Swire	Haiphong		
Footsack	2	11	900	Dec. 23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	To-day	
Fushan	2	11	1504	Dec. 20	M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	To-day	
Glenfin	2	11	1395	Oct. 16	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Hobho	To-morrow	
Greyhound	2	11	227	Dec. 24	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Swatow		
Gulf of Papua	2	11	1356	Dec. 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Swatow		
Hailong	2	11	277	Dec. 24	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow		
Harter	2	11	1193	Dec. 21	Russell & Co.	Swatow		
Hesperus	2	11	117	Dec. 21	Siemens & Co.	Swatow		
Iduna	2	11	267	Nov. 9	Edward Schellhas & Co.	Swatow		
Iduna	2	11	981	Nov. 10	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Swatow		
Japan	2	11	1204	Dec. 16	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Saigon	K'loon	
Jennett	2	11	1165	Dec. 24	Douglas Steamship Co.	Singapore	28th inst.	
Jennett	2	11	1085	Dec. 24	Tung Kee & Co.	Singapore		
Jennett	2	11	649	Dec. 20	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Singapore		
Jennett	2	11	1428	Dec. 2	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Swatow		
Jennett	2	11	805	Dec. 26	Hop Hing Hong	Swatow	For Sale	
Jennett	2	11	284	Sept. 4	Remedios & Co.	Shanghai	To-day	
Jennett	2	11	954	Dec. 24	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	1011	Dec. 23	Tuen Fat Hong	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	875	Dec. 25	Wideler & Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	161	June 2	H. K. & W. Poon Dock Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	798	Dec. 20	Ed. Schellhas & Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	282	Dec. 24	A. B. Marry	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	819	Dec. 22	Douglas Steamship Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	2011	Dec. 22	A. Hungarian Lloyd S. N. Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	1400	Dec. 25	Ed. Schellhas & Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	874	Dec. 27	Nov. 29	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	
Jennett	2	11	873	Dec. 17	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	1100	Dec. 2	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai		
Jennett	2	11	1540	Dec. 24	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Shanghai		
Sailing Vessels								
Adolph	2	11	256	Nov. 30	Edward Schellhas & Co.	Amoy & Tainan	To-morrow	
Alden Bass	2	11	812	Dec. 10	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.	30th inst.	
Anna Siebin	2	11	604	Dec. 12	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Annis	2	11	423	Oct. 31	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Arnis	2	11	977	Oct. 31	Measagier Maritimes	Bombay, &c.		
B. H. Steink	2	11	335	Aug. 4	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Centennial	2	11	1922	Oct. 3	Order	Bombay, &c.		
Ceylon	2	11	645	Dec. 19	Wing Chong Kit	Bombay, &c.		
Charon Wattana	2	11	666	Dec. 18	Chinese	Bombay, &c.		
Colonia	2	11	842	Dec. 18	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Dartmouth	2	11	915	Oct. 3	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Eden	2	11	313	Oct. 26	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Eisa	2	11	1348	Nov. 8	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Eisa	2	11	618	Dec. 24	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Emily	2	11	208	Nov. 19	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Emily F. Whitney	2	11	1240	Oct. 8	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Felix	2	11	871	Nov. 3	Master	Bombay, &c.		
Franklin	2	11	177	Nov. 17	Tai Chung	Bombay, &c.		
George	2	11	895	Nov. 26	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Grandeur	2	11	1350	Dec. 2	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Great Admiral	2	11	1468	Oct. 9	Order	Bombay, &c.		
Harmonia	2	11	1454	Dec. 6	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Helicon	2	11	1139	Dec. 12	Russell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Highlander	2	11	1290	May 19	Russell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Hiram Emory	2	11	1478	Dec. 21	Captain	Bombay, &c.		
Tsao Reed	2	11	767	Oct. 7	Order	Bombay, &c.		
John Potts	2	11	899	Nov. 21	Carlowitz & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
John Potts	2	11	374	Dec. 8	Order	Bombay, &c.		
Kepler	2	11	759	Nov. 21	Siemens & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
L'Avvenire	2	11	351	Dec. 17	Chinese	Bombay, &c.		
Lady Harwood	2	11	682	Dec. 9	Chinese	Bombay, &c.		
Lottie Fairfield	2	11	164	Nov. 18	Siemens & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Marguerite	2	11	463	Dec. 23	Carlowitz & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Mary Stewart	2	11	463	Dec. 23	Wideler & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
May	2	11	227	Dec. 21	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Minerva	2	11	319	Dec. 16	Captain	Bombay, &c.		
Mohawk	2	11	1388	Nov. 30	Douglas Steamship Co.	Bombay, &c.		
N. Gibson	2	11	704	Sept. 16	Russell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Oboron	2	11	1163	Oct. 18	Russell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Ophe	2	11	767	Dec. 2	Edwards Schellhas & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Richard Pearson	2	11	473	Nov. 26	Borneo Co. Limited	Bombay, &c.		
Sonoo	2	11	1694	Nov. 18	Russell & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
South America	2	11	713	Dec. 18	Captain	Bombay, &c.		
Spartan	2	11	586	Nov. 11	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Storforten	2	11	360	Nov. 19	Chinese	Bombay, &c.		
Three Brothers	2	11	688	Dec. 19	Melchers & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Union	2	11	431	Dec. 10	Puritan & Co.	Bombay, &c.		
Valocity	2	11	1650	Nov. 30	Captain	Bombay, &c.		
Wandering Jew	2	11	1650	Nov. 30	Captain	Bombay, &c.		

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships in the China Squadron.

Name.	Flag.	Tons.	Guns.	H.F.	Captain.	Where at.
Agamemnon	d. s. turret ironclad	8710	6	6300	Captain Samuel Long	Hongkong
Albatross	composite screw iron	840	4	840	Commander Chas. Hicks	Port Hamilton
Andalucia*	double-screw iron frigate	6010	14	4380	Captain Hugo L. Pearson	Hongkong
Champion	corvette	2340	14	2340	Captain A. Fowles	Yokohama
Cleopatra	corvette	2380	14	2610	Act. Captain A. Schornberg	Yokohama
Cockchafer	gunboat	465	4	470	Lieut.-Com. H. H. Boteler	Port Hamilton
Courage	corvette	2383	14	2540	Captain J. G. J. Hamner	Nagasaki
Daring	composite sloop	940	4	920	Commander Davis	Hongkong
Esk	double-screw gunboat	360	3	340		In reserve
Esper	gunboat	450	4	455	Lieut.-Com. H. R. Adams	Hongkong
Espresso	gunboat	460	4	460	Lieut.-Com. D. L. Dickson	Yokohama
Firebrand	gunboat	940	4	840	Captain J. P. Maclear	Maui
Flying Fish	sloop	767	5	1050	Commander Geo. W. Hill	Hongkong
Leander	double-screw gun-vessel	430	4	430	Lieut.-Com. W. M. Maturin	Singapore
Merlin	gunboat	465	4	470	Commander Rotham	Hongkong
Midgie	double-screw gun-vessel	1130	6	970	Commander H. T. Grenfell	Yokohama
Pogueau	composite screw sloop	820	—	—	Commander W. V. Moore	Hongkong
Rambler	sloop	1370	12	2360	Captain R. G. Kimball	Singapore
Sapphire	corvette	765	5	1010	Commander A. C. B. Bromley	In reserve
Swift	double-screw gun-vessel	360	3	340		In reserve
Trident	double-screw gunboat	3087	20	—	Commodore Morant	Hongkong
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	885	2	1280	Lieut.-Com. Farquhar	Hongkong
Vigilant	paddle despatch-vessel	925	4	750	Captain Orford Churchill	Hankow
Wanderer	gunboat	1800	4	1450		In reserve
Werner	turret ship	490	4	530	Lieut.-Com. Chas. K. Hope	Tientsin
Zephyr	gunboat	490	4	530		Tientsin

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief.

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